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For:	DAP-KINASE AND HOXA9, TWO HUMAN GENES ASSOCIATED WITH GENESIS, PROGRESSION, AND AGGRESSIVENESS OF NON-SMALL CELL LUNG CANCER	: Attorney Docket No. : 10620-1U1 : (053846.0001) :

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Preliminary to the calculation of fees and examination of the above application being transmitted herewith, please amend the application, without prejudice, as follows:

In the Claims:

Please cancel claims 2-26 without prejudice to re-addition of these claims in this or another patent application.

REMARKS

Claims 1 and 27-42 are presently pending in this application. Claims 2-26 have been canceled without prejudice. Claims 1, 27, and 37-42 are independent claims. The above amendments are made merely to reduce the filing fee. No new matter has been added by these amendments, and early examination is respectfully requested.

An early and favorable office action on the merits is requested at the earliest possible time.

Respectfully submitted,

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